

M. schranki Theob. on *Urtica gracilis* at Wanship and Oakley, Utah, June 13, 1941; Preston, Idaho, October 21, 1942.

M. sporadicum Knlt. on *Chrysothamnus nauseosus* at Brigham Canyon, Utah, July 3, 1928.

M. stanleyi Wilson on *Sambucus*, Logan Canyon, Utah, August 1, 1941; Indian Canyon and Monte Cristo, Utah.

M. taraxaci (Kalt.) on *Taraxacum officinale*, abundant in mouth of Blacksmith Fork Canyon, Utah, October 10, 1938, and at Paragonah, Utah, August 1942; Flagstaff, Arizona, September 23, 1944; Conrad, Montana, October 26, 1936 (rec. from H. B. Mills); Baker, Oregon, June 17, 1939.

M. zerogutierrezis S.-K. on *Gutierrezia*, Emigrant Pass, Nevada, July 24, 1944; Kingman, Arizona, May 16, 1945; Smithfield, Utah, October 4, 1927.

M. zeropalpium Knlt. on *Erodium cicutarium* at Ogden, Utah, May 5, 1938, with one being fed on by a *Geocoris decoratus* Uhler at North Ogden, Utah, May 3, 1938; Peach Springs, Arizona, May 8, 1945.

CORRECTION OF NAME OF TORTOISE BEETLES (COLEOPTERA, CHRYSOMELIDAE).

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Invalidity of the generic name *Orectis* as applied to tortoise beetles, because the same name was previously proposed for a genus of moths, was not recognized in my note on a new form from Texas on p. 102 of this Bulletin. The subgeneric name *Parorectis* Spaeth, 1901, automatically becomes the generic name replacing the homonym, but correction of the synonymy in the following form seems to be needed.

Parorectis Spaeth, 1901: 346.

Synonym *Orectis* Spaeth, 1901: 346 (not Lederer, 1857).

Sp. 1 *callosa* (Boheman, 1854: 471) Texas, Florida, South Carolina.

Sp. 2 *sublaevis* (Barber, 1946: 102) Texas.

Sp. 3 *rugosa* (Boheman, 1854: 472) Mexico.